

DIVISION

*Dep't Ref*  
**PATENT APPLICATION**

In re the Application of

Ryuichi KOJIMA et al.

2007 JUN 29 PM 4: 29

ATTN:

Refund Section  
Accounting Div.  
Office of Finance

Application No.: 10/715,499

Docket No.: 117804

Filed: November 19, 2003

For: DROPLET EJECTING HEAD AND DROPLET EJECTING APPARATUS

**REQUEST FOR REFUND TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:


Attached hereto is a copy of a Monthly Statement of Deposit Account (dated December, 2006) showing charges of \$120.00 and \$330.00 related to the above-referenced application. This charge is marked with Fee Code 1251 and 1252 respectively, which is the Patent Office Fee for extension for response within first and second months.

Applicant filed a Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review with the Notice of Appeal on August 25, 2006. Although Applicant filed the Amendment after Final Rejection on November 25, 2006, the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review was not mailed until November 7, 2006. Thus, the time period for taking further action, including filing an Amendment after Final Rejection under 37 CFR §1.116, should have been reset to one-month from the date of the Panel's November 7 decision, or December 7, 2006. Therefore, Applicant's Amendment after Final Rejection filed on November 30, 2006 was timely filed within the one-month time period, and did not require payment of any extension of time fees. See the attached date PTO date-stamped filing receipt.

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that these charges, totaling \$450.00, be credited to Deposit Account No. 15-0461 and that the Patent Office acknowledge this credit in writing.

Respectfully submitted,

  
James A. Oliff  
Registration No. 27,075

Joel S. Armstrong  
Registration No. 36,430

JAO:CJW/tbm

Enclosure:

November 30, 2006 Filing Receipt

Date: January 26, 2007

**OLIFF & BERRIDGE, PLC**  
P.O. Box 19928  
Alexandria, Virginia 22320  
Telephone: (703) 836-6400

**DEPOSIT ACCOUNT USE  
AUTHORIZATION**

Please grant any extension  
necessary for entry;  
Charge any fee due to our  
Deposit Account No. 15-0461

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

**PTO RECEIPT FOR FILING OF PAPERS**

Delivery ▶ Mail Room

The following papers have been filed:

Amendment After Final Rejection Under 37 CFR §1.116

Name of Applicant:	Ryuichi KOJIMA; Masakazu OKUDA
Serial No.:	10/715,499
Attorney File No.:	117804
Title:	Droplet Ejecting Head and Droplet Ejecting Apparatus
Sender's Initials:	JAO:LMS/cxm
Assignee:	FUJI XEROX CO., LTD.



**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

**PATENT OFFICE DATE STAMP**



43

**Deposit Account Statement**

Requested Statement Month: December 2006  
Deposit Account Number: 150461  
Name: OLIFF & BERRIDGE P L C  
Attention: BARBARA WATTS  
Address: 277 SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET  
City: ALEXANDRIA  
State: VA  
Zip: 22314  
Country: UNITED STATES



DATE	SEQ	POSTING REF TXT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NBR	FEE CODE	AMT
12/11	2	10715499	117804	1251	\$120.00
12/11	3	10715499	117804	1252	\$330.00

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

Document code: WFEE

United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Sales Receipt for Accounting Date: 12/11/2006

~~DWILLIA1 SALE #00000003 Mailroom Dt: 11/30/2006 150461 10715499~~  
~~01 FC:1252 330.00 DA~~

Adjustment date: 02/21/2007 SFELEKE1  
12/11/2006 DWILLIA1 00000003 150461 10715499  
01 FC:1252 330.00 CR

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

Document code: WFEE

United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Sales Receipt for Accounting Date: 12/11/2006

~~DWILLIA1 SALE #00000002 Mailroom Dt: 11/30/2006 150461 10715499~~  
~~01 FC:1251 120.00 DA~~

Adjustment date: 02/21/2007 SFELEKE1  
12/11/2006 DWILLIA1 00000002 150461 10715499  
01 FC:1251 120.00 CR

BEST AVAILABLE COPY